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Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed November 17, 2005 in the application noted above, enclosed please find the following:

- Declaration And Power Of Attorney For Utility Or Design Patent Application Using An 1. Application Data Sheet; and
- 2. Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 060625. A duplicate copy of this Response is provided to facilitate any charge or credit.

This Response is being filed within the two-month response period set from the date of mailing of the Notification of Missing Requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

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- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/22/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished w^{-1} : the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.457(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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